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CHIEF OF ENGINEERS ASKS FOR LOCK IMPROVEMENT

**Government Might Well
Spend \$527,000 at
Lock No. 4**

ENJOYS A GOOD TRAFFIC

**General Bixby Outlines
Heavy Business Done Dur-
ing the Past Year**

Among the items contained in an appropriation requested by General W. H. Bixby, Chief of Engineers U. S. A., in his annual report, for the improvement of rivers and harbors, is one for Lock No. 4 in the Monongahela river. The sum asked for is \$527,000 mainly for rebuilding the old, or smaller lock. The smaller lock is one that has done service for many years, and is much in need of improvement. It was built by the old navigation company and later sold to the government. Next to the old lock at No. 1 dam, it is the oldest in the Monongahela river. It is the intention to have this new lock built, if the appropriation is granted, something after the pattern of those at No. 1, No. 2, or No. 5.

General Bixby recommends an appropriation aggregating \$22,227,361. The Rivers and Harbors committee of Congress is engaged in framing a bill to be presented at the next Congress, to carry about \$30,000,000. Included will be some \$5,000,000 for the nine-foot channel in the Ohio river. Improvements along the Allegheny and the Youghiogheny are recommended by General Bixby in his report. Of the Monongahela river and Lock No. 4 he has the following to say:

The total number of lockages at the 15 locks for the calendar year 1909 aggregated 70,581, giving a total commerce through individual locks amounting to 32,147,354 short tons and 224,320 passengers. Much of this commerce, of course, moved through several locks. Taking only the aggregate of the greatest items of the different kinds of freight passing up and down at any single lock, plus the coal and shipped in bulk, and 2, which amount is manifestly less than the real movement of commerce, the total commerce of the Monongahela River for the year amounted to 11,456,278 short tons and 47,245 passengers.

The effect on freight rates of the slackwater system of the Monongahela is very great. This is particularly true of coal, which is the principal article of commerce, and is well shown by a comparison of the railroad rates for carload lots along this river and those along the unimproved Allegheny. There are many mines along the Monongahela river that can ship either by rail or water, and within a distance of 45 miles from Pittsburgh, which practically covers the industrial district on that river, there is a rate of 10 cents a ton on hauls not exceeding seven miles. For corresponding distances on the Allegheny the rates average about 35 cents a ton. One large consumer transports its coal by river a distance of about 50 miles at a total cost of less than 10 cents a ton, including all charges, while the corresponding railroad freight rate is 45 cents a ton.

Notice

On account of the funeral of our late president, Mr. Michael Cudahy, our Charleroi branch will be closed all day Wednesday, November 30, 1910. 9511 The Cudahy Packing Company.

WARNE WILL IS PROBATED

**Speers Woman Leaves All Her
Property to Her Nearest
Kin**

The will of Mrs. Nancy W. Warne, lately of Fallowfield township, has been probated and letters issued to John S. Rodgers. The executor is directed to sell the real estate at public or private sale. The proceeds are to be divided as follows: To a brother, Solomon Ward, one fifth; to a sister, Melissa Ward, one fifth; to LeMoyné, William, Theodore and Ernest Ward, each one-twentieth; to Addison Ward, and a sister, Laura M. Clary, one-tenth; to Campbell, Harry, Edna, John, Fred and Janie Richards, each 1-180; to Ruby and Vesta Speers, one sixtieth; to Van L. Froman and Fred C. Speers, and Edna Gaw each one-thirtieth. Mrs. Warne, who was 92 years old, died last.

TO HONOR THE DEAD

**Charleroi Elks' Lodge
Arranges Memorial
Services**

PASTOR TO MAKE ADDRESS

Charleroi Lodge No. 454, B. P. O. E., will hold its annual Lodge of Sorrow on next Sunday afternoon at the Palace Theatre. The address will be made by Rev. John L. S. Martin, of Waynesburg, who is past exalted ruler of the lodge there. Tom P. Sloan of North Charleroi will deliver the eulogy on the two members of this lodge who died during the past year.

The deceased for whom the memorial services will be held are James N. Moore, who died at his home in Millisburg, May 18, 1910, and Clarence H. Campbell, who died in the west May 26, 1910. Since 1910 there have been 21 deaths of members of the Charleroi lodge.

The Palace Orchestra, under the leadership of Harry Barnhart, will provide the services by playing "Beautiful Home of Paradise" by R. A. King, and this will be followed by "Near My God to Thee," by the Charleroi Elks chorus, under the direction of Prof. E. T. Daniel.

After the opening song, Rev. Lucius W. Shney of St. Mary's Episcopal church will pronounce the invocation, and the orchestra will render "Face to Face" by Johnston. Miss Lillian Hammitt of Uniontown will sing "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," by Dudley Buck, after which the eulogy will be pronounced.

Miss Hammitt will sing "Crossing the Bar" by Eugene Cowles, and Rev. Martin will make his address. "Lead Kindly Light" by Dudley Buck will be rendered by the Elks' chorus, and the benediction will be pronounced by Rev. C. E. Frontz, pastor of Christ Lutheran church.

The committee arranging the Memorial services is composed of J. B. Tussing, Hugh E. Fergus, Esq., S. K. Long and R. J. McKean.

CALIFORNIA STATION READY FOR USE SOON

The new California railroad station, which, when finished is to cost something like \$15,000, is nearing completion and will be ready for use within a few weeks. The station is a beautiful structure constructed of bricks, and having a tile roof. The new station will contain two main waiting rooms, one for men and one for women, a baggage room, a ticket office and two toilet rooms. It is patterned something after the Dorora station, but with nice level surroundings it is likely that it will be even a more beautiful place than the one at the down river town. Grass plots are to compass the station. The railroad enjoys a good business at California, much larger than at many towns along the valley. In fact the passenger receipts at that office are surpassed by but few places owing to the enormous trade gained because of the location of the Normal School at California.

RIVERMEN GO ON STRIKE

**Steamboatmen Quit County Superintendent
With Prospects Ahead
of Steady Work**

With the prospects of good business along the river ahead, coal companies along the valley are being hampered by a strike of the steamboatmen or longshoremen, who are demanding an increased wage scale. The strike went into effect Sunday night, just a few hours after a big shipment of coal had left the Pittsburgh harbor for points south. Many rivermen who had been out of employment for some time secured work with this fleet.

The strike of longshoremen, according to advices from Lock No. 4 officials this morning, affects only the Monongahela valley, which would mean a decrease in river trade. The steamer Clyde of the Clyde Coal company has granted the demanded increase which it is stated is from \$50 a month with board to \$55 a month and board, but the other companies, including the River Coal company, the Jones and Laughlin Coal company, and the Diamond Coal company, made no advances to the men up to this morning.

HANCHER GETS A BOOK SOCIAL TO START A LIBRARY

Tonight the Sunday school of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold a Book Social at which time it is expected that the foundation for a Sunday school library will be started. A program will be rendered consisting of recitations, songs and instrumental music. The affair will be free.

HARTLAND ELECTED CAPTAIN COMPANY A

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Capt. John Hodgson, Edward Hartland was unanimously elected captain of Company A, N. G. P., at Monongahela last night. The special election was conducted by Capt. A. W. Powell of the regimental staff of Waynesburg, assisted by Lieut. E. L. Yohe of Monongahela.

Annual Holiday Bazaar

The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian church will hold their annual bazaar Wednesday and Thursday afternoon and evenings, November 30 and December 1 in the Schuyler building, Fourth street and McKean avenue. The following articles will be for sale: Fancy work, embroidered clothes, pillow cases, aprons, infant's towels, dolls, quilts, domestic article, cake, pies and bread. 9415

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FEEHAN ANSWERS CHARGES MADE BY HIS TRADUCERS

**FINISHING UP
THE ASSESSMENT**
Assessor Mansfield Hopes to Have Report in by December 15

Allen S. Mansfield, assessor for the borough of Charleroi, is finishing up the work of taking the annual property and personal assessment, and is making an endeavor to have his reports completed and in the hands of the county commissioners by December 15. Mr. Mansfield is taking the military enrollment also in the borough. It is thought there will be no radical changes in valuations. Harvey Parsons took the triennial assessment last year.

ASSOCIATION TO BANQUET

**Large Number Promise
to Turn out for Affair
Thursday**

WILL BE BIG EVENT

The committee arranging the first annual Business Men's Association banquet, to be held at the Charleroi Hotel Thursday evening of this week, has received the promise of more than 70 persons to attend. This constitutes practically the entire membership. The committee is composed of John B. Schaffer, chairman; Louis Baigel, J. W. Stech, J. W. Carroll and C. J. Matthews.

The affair will be one of the most notable events of the kind in the history of Charleroi, because of the fine array of speakers and honor guests which have been secured. Heading this list is Governor elect J. K. Tener. Others are Enoch Baugh, and L. C. Voss of Pittsburgh; Hon. Charles Matthews, Hon. J. Carter Johnson, Hon. Charles A. Bentley, Hon. J. B. Holland and Hon. William Feeney, all of whom with the exception of the two Pittsburgh men were elected to various offices at the last election.

COMMONPLEAS COURT

**Convened Yesterday With
Divorce and Equity Suit
on Trial**

The November term of common pleas court was convened Monday afternoon. Of the 74 jurors summoned, about 20 were absent.

The first case called was that of Mary S. Wise against Joseph Wise, Jr., a suit in divorce. The parties are from West Bethlehem township.

Before Judge Taylor was called the suit of Elmer E. Jones and Amy H. Miller against T. A. Stout. The action involves the title to the one-eighth of a tract of land in West Finley township occupied by the defendant.

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Mine Leader Defends Himself From News- paper Attack

WAS NOT A CONSPIRATOR

**Did Not Enter Any Agree-
ment With Politicians
to Secure Vote**

In view of certain attacks made against President Francis Feehan of the United Mine Workers of District No. 5 by a Pittsburgh daily newspaper and weekly labor paper published in the same city, President Feehan and his official board have been obliged to make a reply to the charges, which answer is printed in circular form, and is being sent to all the locals in the district. The charges in question are vague and indirect, and consist for the most part of insinuations that President Feehan is playing in with the operators; that he used his influence in the interests of certain politicians, and in order to further discredit Mr. Feehan, some of his opponents among the miners have constituted a vigilance committee whose alleged purpose is to investigate how the money was spent that has been collected for the benefit of the striking miners at Irwin. No direct charges of misappropriation are made, but the inference is implied by the avowed purpose of the committee.

President Feehan in the official circular unqualifiedly brands the assertions and charges made against him and his administration as false. He denies that he endorsed any political party or candidates. In view of the insinuations that he is playing in with the operators Mr. Feehan points out that since he has been district president from 1906 until the present time the organization has secured from the operators an advance of 10 cents on the tonnage rate and an advance on the big wage scale from 27 to 30 cents besides greatly improving working conditions. During the four years the official membership has arisen from 26,000 to nearly 46,000. The opponents of President Feehan are working for the election of Robert Gibbons of Cecil who is also a candidate for district president. It is conceded, however, that Gibbons has no show of election and that President Feehan will be an easy winner and will again succeed himself.

Coon Hunter Injured
John H. Jones a well-known hunter and trapper of Independence, is lying in his home dangerously injured. He fell from a tree while trying to dislodge a raccoon he had "holed" and broke his collar bone, fractured several ribs besides sustaining internal injuries.

Minors Must Be Good
District Attorney William A. Blakeley of Allegheny county has inaugurated a campaign against cigar and tobacco dealers for violations of the law prohibiting the sale of cigars to minors and allowing persons 18 years of age to frequent pool rooms. The crusade will probably reach over the entire county.

Don P. Hawkins of Beallsville who for some time was the Beallsville correspondent of the Mail, has been appointed news editor of the Bentleyville Times.

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A County Workhouse

Every time a drunk and disorderly is sent to jail for 30 days it costs the taxpayers of the county \$40 for his board and keep. This is the estimate for keeping prisoners in the county jail as made by Sheriff Murphy. Washington does not, like some other counties, adopt a bread and water diet for its prisoners, but it does support these offenders in idleness, which is wrong in principle as well as unjust to the taxpayers of the county.

Washington county is in need of a workhouse as well as a hospital for the insane. The Mail has more than once urged the necessity of a county workhouse, where prisoners may be made to more fully realize that labor is the penalty of sin. Charleroi has some chronic malefactors who welcome a maximum jail sentence, but who fight shy of the workhouse, which sentence is sometimes imposed by the courts when such an institution in another county will receive outside prisoners. A county hospital for the insane is also badly needed as all the State institutions are crowded, and these unfortunate wards of the county cannot always get the proper treatment when necessary.

The Washington Record is agitating for a county workhouse, which on the grounds of economy and reform should be established. This is a momentous public question for Washington county, and it should be widely investigated and discussed by the people before definite action is taken. There is much information to be obtained on the subject and all interested in civic reform should make the matter a study.

Local Option

With the gains that the local optionists claim to have made in the Legislature at the recent election it is pretty sure that a local option bill will come up again at this session. The local optionist claim ninety-eight in the Assembly who are publicly or privately pledged to local option, and twenty-six in the Senate. This is more than they had two years ago when the bill that was brought out of committee was killed in the House. It takes 104 votes to pass the bill, and twenty-six in the Senate, so that the local optionists feel more encouraged over the outlook than they did two years ago.

The chances for the final passage of a local option bill at the coming session of the Legislature will depend entirely upon the character of the measure introduced. If a county option bill is presented it will more than likely meet with defeat. The experience in both Ohio and Indiana over this sort of a measure is one that Pennsylvania will undoubtedly take steps to avoid. The lynching at Newark was one of the results of where the vote of the county which was dry overcame the vote of a city within its limits which was wet. The result was that the voters of the city elected municipal officials who were for a "wide open" town, and when outsiders sought to enforce the law a lynching was the result. In Indiana, where a county option law was enacted, the Democrats won the election this fall on the pledge that the county option law is to be repealed and the State go back to local option.

A real local option bill with a unit no larger than a township, borough or ward of a city, would no doubt meet with popular favor. In the matter of restricting licenses, however, local option would not likely be so effective as the present Brooks law when literally interpreted and enforced by the courts. There are counties in the State, Washington among the number, where the number of licenses would undoubtedly be increased if the discretion were left to the voters. Majority rule is the spirit of Americanism, and a local

option bill that puts the matter fairly before the voters of a locality is in keeping with the principles on which this government is founded.

Unused Resources

He who makes two blades of grass grow where but one grew before is a benefactor to the race, and the family that raises a few bushels of potatoes or produces a few dozens of eggs where none were previously produced, while very materially help in reducing the high cost of living. If this can be followed out pretty generally, the aggregate would constitute a big factor in production. There are thousands of families in every community who by making the proper effort could produce some food products, in places now unproductive. This was formerly the rule instead of the exception, and it is the absence of these small producers as well as the vast increase of consumers in the industrial sections that is making the cost of living high.

Vegetables, eggs and poultry can still be produced in most of the towns in considerable proportions, notwithstanding the complexity of civic organization. It was the late Mayor Pingree of Detroit who tided many poor people over in that city during the panic of 1893 by securing the vacant lots for cultivation. Many of these lots were planted to potatoes and produced excellent crops. This gave to the philanthropic mayor the name of "Potato" Pingree, but this plan was followed with good results in numerous other cities during the lean years that followed that panic. Charleroi has much vacant space, with more in close proximity, that might be thus utilized. Now is the time to lay plans and make preparation along this line and those who take advantage of this opportunity are sure to reap a compensating reward.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Report is now made that the Mexican revolution is an entire failure. When they want to stir up real trouble they had better first hire a star performer like Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

Uncle Joe Cannon has gone back to the scene of his duties at Washington D. C., and says that the Democrats will have the toughest time of their life getting the House to act their way. Joe, whose age is between 70 and 79 years, has lived long enough to be able to make a good guess.

Out near Spokane, Wash., a man running for office was beaten out by his wife, who wasn't running. At last a place has been found where woman suffrage is insisted upon by male voters.

Receiver Appointed

The court at Washington today appointed the Charleroi Savings and Trust company receiver for the T. J. Allen property. Part of the property, the Allen homestead at North Charleroi, is now being used for the Monessen Charleroi hospital.

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George King who was formerly employed in the ice cream manufactory department of George Wagner's establishment, and who is now located near Connellsville, is a visitor in Charleroi with friends today.

Miss Clara Frye went to Donora today for a visit with friends.

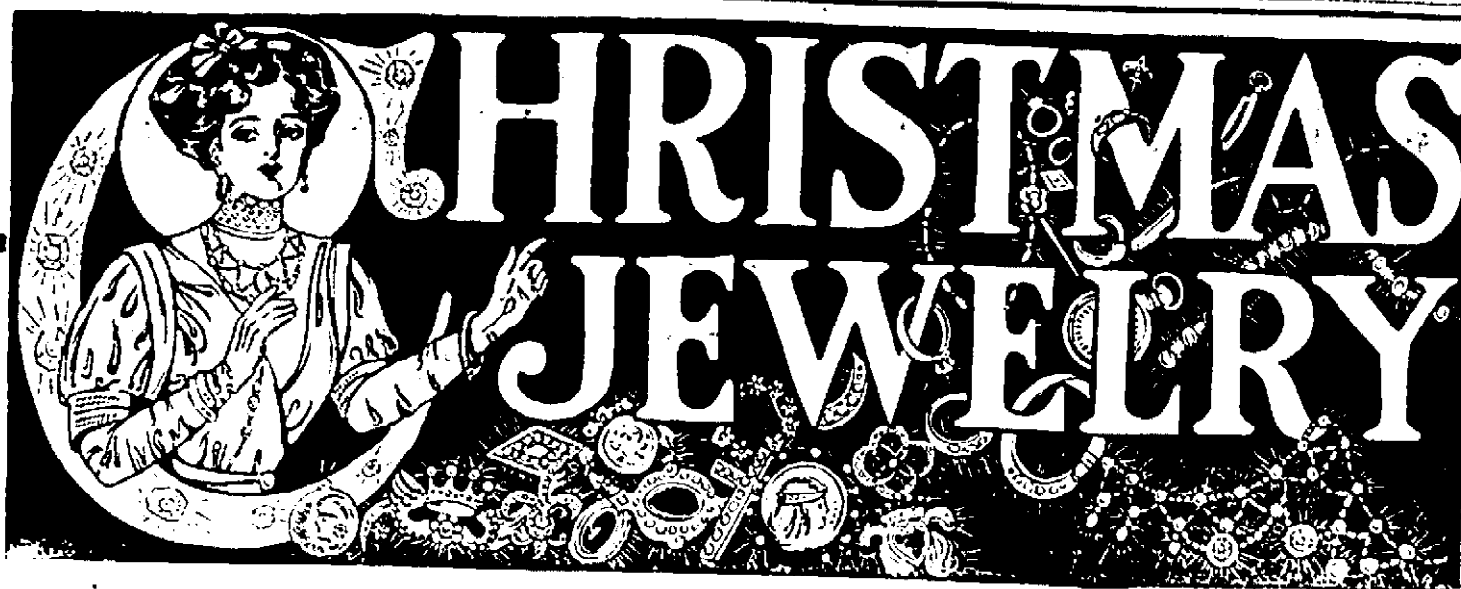
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fox were here from Pittsburgh visiting with Mr. and Mrs. William Ludwig of McKean avenue Sunday.

Charles Long was taken to the county home at Arden this morning.

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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

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Have you seen Porter the Jeweler's ad on second page. It will pay you to look it up 95tl

A marriage license has been granted to Thomas M. Allen of Wilkensburg and Miss Erma Davis of Charleroi.

Frank Arrison was a visitor in Pittsburgh last evening.

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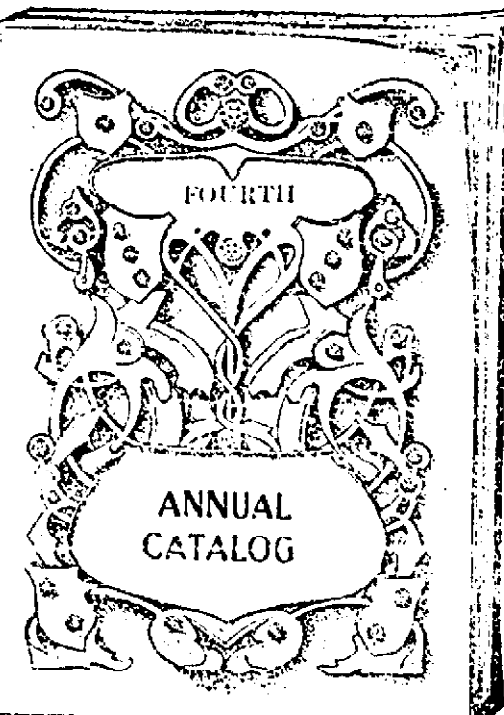
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Notice of Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between W. E. Pensyl and Geo. D. Clark under the firm name of the Charleroi City Grocery has this day been dissolved. W. E. Pensyl retiring. All claims against the said firm and all bills due will be adjusted and received by Geo. D. Clark.

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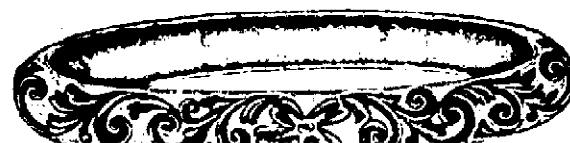
OUR FACILITIES for handling the enormous crowds that will flock here on the days preceding Christmas are superbly complete—all that bright minds can conceive and clever hands can carry out in the way of plans for your comfort, convenience, service and help have been put into commission.

Fine Furniture, Rugs, Sofa Pillows, Screens, Pictures, China, Bricks-Brace, etc., to make home handsomer.
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Men's fine suits of clothes all to match **\$4.98**

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Men's fine suits in chevrons, or Scotch plaids, also a few blacks. The suit is practically worth \$14 and guaranteed to be made in the very latest style or your money back any time during this sale if you are not satisfied.

Men's swell suits **7.45**
At \$7.45 you are free to choose a suit that is actually sold the world over for \$18. Best silk and satin lined, elegantly finished and made of strictly high class wool suiting, all stylish up-to-date patterns. This is your chance of a lifetime.

Men's custom made suits **9.45**
It's wonderful and the exact truth, at \$9.45 we are offering suits of all the finest of home and foreign suitings—such goods as tweeds, clay worsted, Fletcher meltons, etc. These goods represent the products of the celebrated looms and skillful tailors. These suits are elegantly tailored, single or double breasted, faultless in fashion and the proper thing for the neat dresser. The lot comprises suits worth not less than \$22.50 and will exceed any garment made to order, workmanship perfect or your money cheerfully refunded.

FANCY VESTS
\$1.50 white madras vests.....8c
2.50 fancy color flannel vests \$1.50
5.00 cashmere or broadcloth vests..... 3.45

Men's and Boys' Pants

Men's strong all wool work pants, 1.25 grade.....65c
Men's fine worsted pants, 2.50 grade.....98c
Men's fine tailored pants, 2.75 to \$4 grade.....1.95 & 1.45
Boys' knee pants, 50 cent grade.....19c
Men's pants.....98c

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Men's corduroy pants, best grades, are extra good 1.75 quality.....\$1.24
Boys' corduroy knee pants 75c grade.....39c

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Ages 13 to 19, all colors, stripes and plaids, well made, satin lined, worth the world over several times what we ask. You can take a suit home and if not satisfactory we return your money.

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Men's and Ladies' Slippers

Men's and Ladies' house slippers, Romeos and Julietts 1.50 and 1.75 grades. **98c** now.....

Men's and Ladies' solid alligator skin slippers, 75c values..... **39c**

Men's and Boy's Caps

All 75c ones any color or style, sale price..... **39c**

Men's Furnishing Goods

Sunday dress shirts, all patterns, all sizes. 75c values..... **39c**

Men's socks.....7c
Men's semi-hand knit socks with plain and fancy feet, sold elsewhere at 15c and 25c, all sizes..... **9c**

Men's suspenders made of fine Remington elastic web, newest patterns and strong buckles..... **11c**

Workshirts, all patterns, 50 cent and 75 cent kind..... **39c**

Men's handkerchiefs—fine line of handkerchiefs, large sizes, sell everywhere at 15c, 25c and 35c..... **3c**

Men's shirts—men's laundered as well as unlaundered and fancy striped soft bosom shirts, an immense variety to select from, your choice at this life time chance sale, at..... **39c**

Swell dress shirts, all new patterns, plain or pleated bosoms, regular 1.50 shirt, sale price..... **79c**

Work shirts—we are going to place all of our work shirts in lots and close them out at prices that don't pay for the cloth in them 50c and 75c grades..... **39c**

Overalls, the 50c and 75c kind, only..... **39c**

Neckties, choice of any of our regular 50c sellers, during this sale at..... **39c**

Men's wool underwear, red, gray or brown Australian lamb's wool, does not scratch, a 2.50 seller at..... **89c**

Jersey ribbed work shirt, comes in blue, extra heavy 75c kind..... **39c**

Cashmere socks, Men's all wool socks made of heavy German yarn, the kind that sells at 25c, sale price..... **11c**

Flannel work shirts, blue, gray or brown, made with pockets and extra well made 2.00 values now..... **79c**

Silk handkerchiefs, all colors, good 75c grade..... **39c**

Men's Shoes

This store carries the largest and best line of shoes in this section, representing the best makers in the shoe business. Every pair of shoes fully guaranteed to be solid leathers counter and inner sole: an entirely new stock: no old shelf worn goods like you find elsewhere. Men's heavy work shoes, worth \$1.75 **\$1.19** now.....

Men's dress shoes, calf or vici & gun metal, worth \$2 **1.49**

Men's Sunday shoes, vici or patent leather, \$3.00 grade..... **1.85**

Men's fine Sunday shoes, gun metal and patent colt leather lace or button \$3.00 grade..... **2.19**

LADIES' SHOES

Any style toe, any size, any width Ladies' dongola kid, \$1.50 quality..... **98c**

Ladies' dongola and vici kid regular \$2 grade..... **1.35**

Ladies' shoes, \$2.25, 2.50 and 2.75 grade..... **1.85**

BOYS' AND MISSES' SHOES

Three lots of boys' and misses' shoes: \$1.25 values now..... **74c**
1.50 values now..... **98c**
2.00 values now..... **\$1.24**

HATS AND CAPS

Boys' and mens' caps, all styles, any color, the regular 35c kind **18c** for.....

Mens' and boys' hats, 1.50 to 2.00 grade, **98c** now.....

All \$3.00 hats go at..... **1.45**
We have a big stock of the very latest styles in fedoras and derbys, such makes as Dunlap's and Stetsons. This line must be sold at prices that every one can afford.

Men's kid gloves, lined or unlined, the \$1 kind, now..... **59c**

Silk Suspenders, one pr. to a box, \$1 grade now..... **45c**

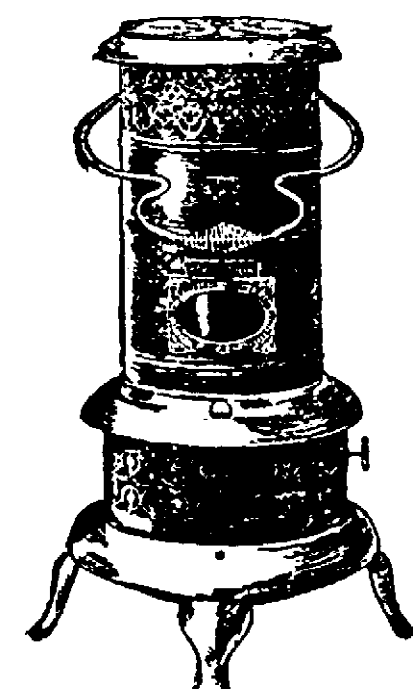
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CHIEF OF ENGINEERS ASKS FOR LOCK IMPROVEMENT

Government Might Well
Spend \$527,000 at
Lock No. 4

ENJOYS A GOOD TRAFFIC

General Bixby Outlines
Heavy Business Done Dur-
ing the Past Year

Among the items contained in an appropriation requested by General W. H. Bixby, Chief of Engineers U. S. A., in his annual report, for the improvement of rivers and harbors, is one for Lock No. 4 in the Monongahela river. The sum asked for is \$527,000 mainly for rebuilding the old, or smaller lock. The smaller lock is one that has done service for many years, and is much in need of improvement. It was built by the old navigation company and later sold to the government. Next to the old lock at No. 1 dam, it is the oldest in the Monongahela river. It is the intention to have this new lock built, if the appropriation is granted, something after the pattern of those at No. 1, No. 2, or No. 5.

General Bixby recommends an appropriation aggregating \$22,227,861. The Rivers and Harbors committee of Congress is engaged in framing a bill to be presented at the next Congress, to carry about \$80,000,000. Included will be some \$5,000,000 for the new lock at No. 4 in the Ohio river. Improvements along the Allegheny and the Youghiogheny are recommended by General Bixby in his report. Of the Monongahela river and Lock No. 4 he has the following to say:

The total number of lockages at the 15 locks for the calendar year 1909 aggregated 70,581, giving a total commerce through inland water locks amounting to 32,147,574 short tons and 241,275 passengers. Much of this commerce, of course, moved through several locks. Taking only the water gate of the smallest item of the different lots of freight passing up and down at any single lock, plus the cost of the lock and ship in port, it is found that the amount is manifestly less than the real movement of commerce. The total commerce of the Monongahela river for the year amounted to 1,473,547 short tons and 17,734 passengers.

The effect of freight on the slackwater system of the Monongahela is very great. This is particularly true of the coal, which is the principal part of the commerce, and is well shown in a comparison of the railroad rates for coal along this river and those along the Allegheny. There are many mines along the Monongahela river that can ship either by rail or water, and within a distance of 45 miles from Pittsburgh, which practically covers the industrial district on that river, there is a rate of 19 cents a ton on hauls not exceeding seven miles. For corresponding distances on the Allegheny the rates average about 35 cents a ton. One large consumer transports its coal by river a distance of about 50 miles at a total cost of less than 10 cents a ton, including all charges, while the corresponding railroad freight rate is 45 cents a ton.

Notice

On account of the funeral of our late president, Mr. Michael Cudahy, our Charleroi branch will be closed all day Wednesday, November 30, 1910. 9561 The Cudahy Packing Company.

WARNE WILL IS PROBATED

Speers Woman Leaves All Her
Property to Her Nearest
Kin

The will of Mrs. Nancy W. Warne, lately of Fairview township, has been probated and letters issued to John S. Rodgers. The executor is directed to sell the real estate at public or private sale. The proceeds are to be divided as follows: To a brother, Solomon Ward, one fifth; to a sister, Melissa Ward, one fifth; to LeMoine, William, Theodore and Ernest Ward, each one-twentieth; to Addison Ward, and a sister, Laura M. Clary, one-tenth; to Campbell, Harry, Edna, John, Fred and Janie Richards, each 1-180; to Ruby and Vesta Speers, one sixtieth; to Van L., Froman and Fred C. Speers, and Edna Gaw each one-thirtieth. Mrs. Warne, who was 92 years old, died last.

TO HONOR THE DEAD

Charleroi Elks' Lodge
Arranges Memorial
Services

PASTOR TO MAKE ADDRESS

Charleroi Lodge No. 44, B. P. O. E., will hold its annual Lodge of Sorrows on next Sunday afternoon at the Palace Theatre. The address will be made by Rev. John L. S. Martin, of Waynesburg, who is past exalted ruler of the lodge there. Tom J. Sloan of North Charleroi will deliver a eulogy on the two members of this lodge who died during the past year.

The two men for whom the memorial services will be held are James H. Martin, who died on May 18, 1910, and Clarence H. Coudy, who died in the west May 25, 1910. Mr. Coudy had been 21 months of members of the Charleroi lodge.

The Palace Orchestra, under the leadership of Harry Coudy, will provide the services by playing "Beautiful Home of Paradise" by R. A. King, and this will be followed by "Nearer My God to Thee," by the Charleroi Elks' chorus, under the direction of Prof. I. T. Daniel.

After the singing, Rev. Lucius W. Sney of St. Mary's Episcopal church will pronounce the vocation, and the orchestra will render "Face to Face" by Johnston. Miss Lillian Hammitt of Untown will sing "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," by Dudley Buck, after which the eulogy will be pronounced.

Miss Hammitt will sing "Crossing the Bar" by Eugene Cowles, and Rev. Martin will make his address. "Lead Kindly Light" by Dudley Buck will be rendered by the Elks' chorus, and the benediction will be pronounced by Rev. C. E. Frontz, pastor of Christ Lutheran church.

The committee arranging the Memorial services is composed of J. B. Tossing, Hugh E. Fergus, Esq., S. K. Long and R. J. McKean.

CALIFORNIA STATION READY FOR USE SOON

The new California railroad station, which, when finished is to cost something like \$15,000, is nearing completion and will be ready for use within a few weeks. The station is a beautiful structure constructed of bricks, and having a tile roof. The new station will contain two main waiting rooms, one for men and one for women, a baggage room, a ticket office and two toilet rooms. It is patterned something after the Dorora station, but with nice level surroundings it is likely that it will be even a more beautiful place than the one at the down river town. Grass plots are to compass the station. The railroad enjoys a good business at California, much larger than at many towns along the valley. In fact the passenger receipts at that office are surpassed by but few places because of the enormous trade gained because of the location of the Normal School at California.

RIVERMEN GO ON STRIKE

Steamboatmen Quit County Superintendent
With Prospects Ahead
of Steady Work

With the prospects of good business along the river ahead, coal companies along the valley are being hampered by a strike of the steamboatmen or longshoremen, who are demanding an increased wage scale. The strike went into effect Sunday night, just a few hours after a big shipment of coal had left the Pittsburgh harbor for points south. Many rivermen who had been out of employment for some time secured work with this fleet.

The strike of longshoremen, according to advices from Lock No. 4 officials this morning, affects only the Monongahela valley, which would mean a decrease in river trade. The steamer Clyde of the Clyde Coal company has granted the demanded increase which it is stated is from \$50 a month with board to \$55 a month and board, but the other companies, including the River Coal company, the Jones and Langdon Coal company, and the Diamond Coal company, made no statement to the men, up to this morning.

HANCHER GETS A BOOK SOCIAL TO START A LIBRARY

Deputy D. Hancher of West Finley township, was chosen moderator and speaker for Washington county for the coming year at a meeting of the county commissioners yesterday. There were a number of applicants for the place but Mr. Hancher was the lucky man.

HARTLAND ELECTED CAPTAIN COMPANY A

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Capt. John Hodgson, Edward Hartland was unanimously elected captain of Company A, N. G. P., at Monongahela last night. The special election was conducted by Capt. A. W. Powell of the regimental staff of Waynesburg, assisted by Lieut. E. L. Yohe of Monongahela.

Annual Holiday Bazaar
The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian church will hold their annual bazaar Wednesday and Thursday afternoon and evenings, November 30 and December 1 in the Schuyler building, Fourth street and McKean avenue. The following articles will be for sale: Fancy work, embroidered towels, pillow cases, aprons, infant's clothes, dolls, quilts, domestic article, cake, pies and bread. 9415

Deed Recorded
W. S. Abraham of Speers to Samuel T. Franks, of Charleroi, lot in Charleroi, on Second street, 20x100 feet; consideration \$350.

WANTED—Young man to work on farm, steady work all year. Inquire 22 Mail office. 95610

WANTED—Man or woman for newstand. Apply Union News Company, Fifth and McKean. 9562

Have you seen Porter the Jeweler's ad on second page. It will pay you to look it up. 9561

FEEHAN ANSWERS CHARGES MADE BY HIS TRADUCERS

FINISHING UP
THE ASSESSMENT

Assessor Mansfield Hopes to
Have Report in by
December 15

Allen S. Mansfield, assessor for the borough of Charleroi, is finishing up the work of taking the annual property and personal assessment, and is making an endeavor to have his reports completed and in the hands of the county commissioners by December 15. Mr. Mansfield is taking the military enrollment also in the borough. It is thought there will be no radical changes in valuations. Harvey Parsons took the triennial assessment last year.

ASSOCIATION TO BANQUET

Large Number Promise
to Turn out for Affair
Thursday

WILL BE BIG EVENT

The committee arranging the first annual Business Men's Association banquet, to be held at the Charleroi Hotel Thursday evening of this week, has received the promise of more than 70 persons to attend. This constitutes practically the entire membership. The committee is composed of John B. Schaefer, chairman; Louis Ediger, J. W. Storch, J. W. Curren and C. J. Matthews.

The affair will be one of the most notable events of the kind in the history of Charleroi, because of the large array of speakers and honor guests which have been secured. Heading this list is Governor John K. Tener. Other guests are Hon. Charles A. Smith, Hon. J. B. Hollard and Hon. William F. Brown, all of whom with the exception of the two Pittsburgh men were elected to various offices at the last election.

COMMONPLEAS COURT

Convened Yesterday With
Divorce and Equity Suit
on Trial

The November term of common pleas court was convened Monday afternoon. Of the 74 jurors summoned, about 20 were absent.

The first case called was that of Mary S. Wise against Joseph Wise, Jr., a suit in divorce. The parties are from West Bethlehem township.

Before Judge Taylor was called the suit of Elmer E. Jones and Amy H. Miller against T. A. Stout. The action involves the title to the one-eighth of a tract of land in West Finley township occupied by the defendant.

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Mine Leader Defends Himself From News- paper Attack

WAS NOT A CONSPIRATOR

Did Not Enter Any Agree-
ment With Politicians
to Secure Vote

In view of certain attacks made against President Francis Feehan of the United Mine Workers of District No. 5 by a Pittsburgh daily newspaper and weekly labor paper published in the same city, President Feehan and his official board have been obliged to make a reply to the charges, which answer is printed in circular form, and is being sent to all the locals in the district. The charges in question are vague and indirect, and consist for the most part of insinuations that President Feehan is playing in with the operators; that he used his influence in the interests of certain politicians, and in order to further discredit Mr. Feehan, some of his opponents among the miners have constituted a vigilance committee whose alleged purpose is to investigate how the money was spent that has been collected for the benefit of the striking miners at Irwin. No direct charges of misappropriation are made, but the inference is implied by the accused purpose of the committee.

President Feehan in the official circular unequivocally brands the assertions and charges made against him and his administration as false. He denies that he endorsed any political party or candidates. In view of the insinuations that he is playing in with the operators Mr. Feehan points out that since he has been district president from 1906 until the present time the organization has secured from the operators an advance of 10 cents on the tonnage rate and an advance of 27 cents in the wage scale from 27 to 54 cents per ton greatly improving working conditions. During the four years the annual membership has risen from 20,000 to nearly 40,000.

The opponents of President Feehan are working for the election of Robert Gibbons of Cecil who is also a candidate for district president. It is pointed out, however, that Gibbons has no show of election and that President Feehan will be a easy winner and will again succeed himself.

Coon Hunter Injured

John H. Love, a well-known hunter and trapper of Independence, is lying in his home dangerously injured. He fell from a tree while trying to dislodge a raccoon and had "holed" and broke his collar bone, fractured several ribs besides sustaining internal injuries.

Minors Must Be Good

District Attorney William A. Blakeley of Allegheny county has inaugurated a campaign against cigar and tobacco dealers for violations of the law prohibiting the sale of cigars to minors and allowing persons 18 years of age to frequent pool rooms. The crusade will probably reach over the entire county.

Don P. Hawkins of Beallsville, who for some time was the Beallsville correspondent of the Mail, has been appointed news editor of the Bentleyville Times.

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Have you seen Porter the Jeweler's ad on second page. It will pay you to look it up. 9561

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We can suggest dozens of dainty and attractive gifts that will delight any feminine heart and supply the suggested articles. If she is fond of diamonds and the probability is—our prices for "first water" stones are as low as the lowest.

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A County Workhouse

Every time a drunk and disorderly is sent to jail for 30 days it costs the taxpayers of the county \$40 for his board and keep. This is the estimate for keeping prisoners in the county jail as made by Sheriff Murphy. Washington does not, like some other counties, adopt a bread and water diet for its prisoners, but it does support these offenders in idleness, which is wrong in principle as well as unjust to the taxpayers of the county.

Washington county is in need of a workhouse as well as a hospital for the insane. The Mail has more than once urged the necessity of a county workhouse, where prisoners may be made to more fully realize that labor is the penalty of sin. Charleroi has some chronic malefactors who welcome a maximum jail sentence, but who fight shy of the workhouse, which sentence is sometimes imposed by the courts when such an institution in another county will receive outside prisoners. A county hospital for the insane is also badly needed as all the State institutions are crowded, and these unfortunate wards of the county cannot always get the proper treatment when necessary.

The Washington Record is agitating for a county workhouse, which on the grounds of economy and reform should be established. This is a momentous public question for Washington county, and it should be widely investigated and discussed by the people before definite action is taken. There is much information to be obtained on the subject and all interested in civic reform should make the matter a study.

Local Option

With the gains that the local optionists claim to have made in the Legislature at the recent election it is pretty sure that a local option bill will come up again at this session. The local optionist claim ninety-eight in the Assembly who are publicly or privately pledged to local option, and twenty-six in the Senate. This is more than they had two years ago when the bill that was brought out of committee was killed in the House. It takes 104 votes to pass the bill, and twenty-six in the Senate, so that the local optionists feel more encouraged over the outlook than they did two years ago.

The chances for the final passage of a local option bill at the coming session of the Legislature will depend entirely upon the character of the measure introduced. If a county option bill is presented it will more than likely meet with defeat. The experience in both Ohio and Indiana over this sort of a measure is one that Pennsylvania will undoubtedly take steps to avoid. The lynching at Newark was one of the results of where the vote of the county which was dry overcame the vote of a city within its limits which was wet. The result was that the voters of the city elected municipal officials who were for a "wide open" town, and when outsiders sought to enforce the law a lynching was the result. In Indiana, where a county option law was enacted, the Democrats won the election this fall on the pledge that the county option law is to be repealed and the State go back to local option.

A real local option bill with a unit no larger than a township, borough or ward of a city, would no doubt meet with popular favor. In the matter of retailing licenses, however, local option would not likely be so effective as the present Brooks law when literally interpreted and enforced by the courts. There are counties in the State, Washington among the number, where the number of licenses would undoubtedly be increased if the discretion were left to the voters. Majority rule is the spirit of Americanism, and a local

option bill that puts the matter fairly before the voters of a locality is in keeping with the principles on which this government is founded.

Unused Resources

He who makes two blades of grass grow where but one grew before is a benefactor to the race, and the family that raises a few bushels of potatoes or produces a few dozens of eggs where none were previously produced, while very materially help in reducing the high cost of living. If this can be followed out pretty generally, the aggregate would constitute a big factor in production. There are thousands of families in every community who by making the proper effort could produce some food products, in places now unproductive. This was formerly the rule instead of the exception, and it is the absence of these small producers as well as the vast increase of consumers in the industrial sections that is making the cost of living high.

Vegetables, eggs and poultry can still be produced in most of the towns in considerable proportions, notwithstanding the complexity of civic organization. It was the late Mayor Pingree of Detroit who tided many poor people over in that city during the panic of 1893 by securing the vacant lots for cultivation. Many of these lots were planted to potatoes and produced excellent crops. This gave to the philanthropic mayor the name of "Potato" Pingree, but this plan was followed with good results in numerous other cities during the lean years that followed that panic. Charleroi has much vacant space, with more in close proximity, that might be thus utilized. Now is the time to lay plans and make preparation along this line and those who take advantage of this opportunity are sure to reap a compensating reward.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Report is now made that the Mexican revolution is an entire failure. When they want to stir up real trouble they had better first hire a star performer like Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

Uncle Joe Cannon has gone back to the scene of his duties at Washington D. C., and says that the Democrats will have the toughest time of their life getting the House to act their way. Joe, whose age is between 70 and 79 years, has lived long enough to be able to make a good guess.

Out near Spokane, Wash., a man running for office was beaten out by his wife, who wasn't running. At last a place has been found where woman suffrage is insisted upon by male voters.

Receiver Appointed

The court at Washington today appointed the Charleroi Savings and Trust company receiver for the T. J. Allen property. Part of the property, the Allen homestead at North Charleroi, is now being used for the Monessen Charleroi hospital.

Notice

On account of the funeral of our late president, Mr. Michael Cudahy, our Charleroi branch will be closed all day Wednesday, November 30, 1910. 9511 The Cudahy Packing Company.

Have you seen Porter, the Jeweler's ad on second page. It will pay you to look it up. 9511

George King who was formerly employed in the ice cream manufactory department of George Wagner's establishment, and who is now located near Connelville, is a visitor in Charleroi with friends today.

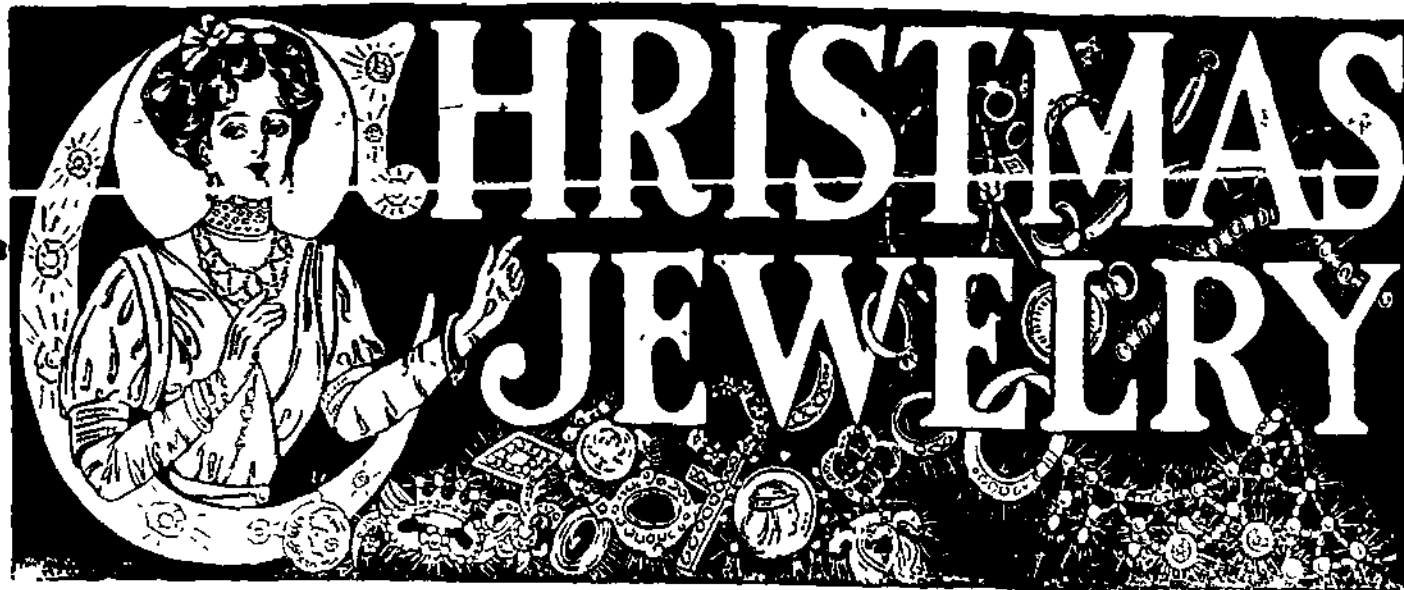
Miss Clara Frye went to Donora today for a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fox were here from Pittsburgh visiting with Mr. and Mrs. William Ludwig of McKean avenue Sunday.

Charles Long was taken to the county home at Arden this morning.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

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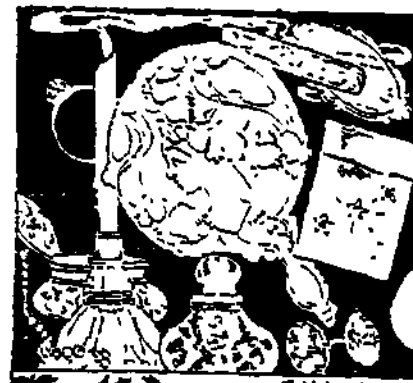
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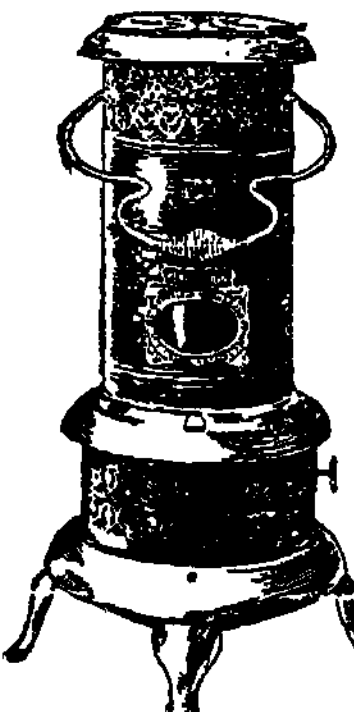
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Nov. 8, 1910
Geo. D. Clark
W. E. Pensyl

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Men's fine suits of clothes all to match \$4.98	Men's strong all wool work pants, 1.25 grade . . . 65c Men's fine worsted pants, 2.50 grade . . . 95c Men's fine tailored pants, 2.75 to \$4 grade 1.95 & 1.45 Boys' knee pants, 50 cent grade . . . 19c Men's pants . . . 98c	Sunday dress shirts, all patterns, all sizes. 39c 75c values Men's socks . . . 7c Men's semi-hand knit socks with plain and fancy feet, sold elsewhere at 15c and 25c, all sizes 9c Men's suspenders made of fine Remington elastic web, newest patterns and strong buckles 11c Workshirts, all patterns, 50 cent and 75 cent kind . . . 39c Men's handkerchiefs—fine line of handkerchiefs, large sizes, sell everywhere at 15c, 25c and 35c 3c Men's shirts—men's laundered as well as unlaundered and fancy striped soft bosom shirts, an immense variety to select from, your choice at this life time chance sale at 39c Swell dress shirts, all new patterns, plain or pleated bosoms, regular 1.50 shirt, sale price . . . 79c Work shirts—we are going to place all of our work shirts in lots and close them out at prices that don't pay for the cloth in them 50c and 75c grades 39c Overalls, the 50c and 75c kind only 39c Neckwear, jewelry, collars and furnishing goods too numerous to mention; prices tell the tale. Come early as they will go fast. Neckties, choice of any of our regular 50c sellers, during this sale at 39c Men's wool underwear, red, gray or brown australian lamb's wool, does not scratch, a 2.50 seller at . . . 89c Jersey ribbed work shirt, comes in blue, extra heavy 75c kind. . . 39c Cashmere socks, Men's all wool socks made of heavy German yarn, the kind that sells at 25c 11c Flannel work shirts, blue, gray or brown, made with pockets and extra well made 2.00 values now. . . 79c Silk handkerchiefs, all colors, good 75c grade. . . 39c	This store carries the largest and best line of shoes in this section, representing the best makers in the shoe business. Every pair of shoes full guaranteed to be solid leather's counter and inner sole, an entirely new stock, no old shelf worn goods like you find elsewhere. Men's heavy work shoes, worth \$1.75 now \$1.19 Men's dress shoes, calf or vic & gun metal, worth \$2. . . 1.49 Men's Sunday shoes, vic or patent leather, \$3.00 grade . . . 1.85 Men's fine Sunday shoes, gun metal and patent colt leather lace or button \$3.00 grade 2.19
Men's strictly fine woolen suits, up-to-date in style, fashionable, good for wear all the year around, in all sizes from 34 to 42, worth \$10. We will allow you to take this suit home and if it doesn't seem worth \$10, or no matter what the cost may be, you may return the same and we hereby bind ourselves to refund the price.	Men's fine suits in chevots, or Scotch plaids, also a few blacks. The suit is practically worth \$14 and guaranteed to be made in the very latest style or your money back any time during this sale if you are not satisfied.	Men's corduroy pants, best grades, are extra good 1.75 quality . . . \$1.24 Boys' corduroy knee pants 75c grade . . . 39c	LADIES' SHOES Any style toe, any size, any width Ladies' dongola kid, \$1.50 quality 98c Ladies' dongola and vic kid regular 1.35 Ladies' shoes, \$2.25, 2.50 and 2.75 grade 1.85
Men's swell suits 7.45 At \$7.45 you are free to choose a suit that is actually sold the world over for \$18. Best silk and satin lined, elegantly finished and made of strictly high class wool suiting, all stylish up-to-date patterns. This is your chance of a lifetime.	Men's custom made suits 9.45 It's wonderful and the exact truth, at \$9.45 we are offering suits of all the finest of home and foreign suitings—such goods as tweeds, clay worsted, Fletcher meltons, etc. These goods represent the products of the celebrated looms and skillful tailors. These suits are elegantly tailored, single or double breasted, faultless in fashion and the proper thing for the neat dresser. The lot comprises suits worth not less than \$22.50 and will excel any garment made to order, workmanship perfect or your money cheerfully refunded.	Men's and Ladies' Slippers Men's and Ladies' house slippers, Romeos and Julietts 1.50 and 1.75 grades, now . . . 98c Men's and Ladies' solid slippers, 75c values . . . 39c	BOYS' AND MISSES' SHOES Three lots of boys' and misses' shoes: \$1.25 values now 79c 1.50 values now 98c 2.00 values now \$1.24
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Now is the time to buy your kid body dolls. They do not come dressed, so buy your dolls early and take time to dress them nicely, and let us urge you to buy the kid body doll—it lasts longer, is more substantial in every way, can be dressed and undressed, and that pleases the little folks a great deal. We have kid dolls at 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1 to \$2.00.

Get ready for Christmas—beginning December 1st store open at night

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Charlottesville, Pa.

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

W. G. Curry of Brockwayville was a visitor in town during the week at the home of his brother-in-law, E. C. Niver.

Have you seen Porter the Jeweler's ad on second page. It will pay you to look it up 95tl

A marriage license has been granted to Thomas M. Allen of Wilkensburg and Miss Emma Davis of Charleroi.

Frank Arrison was a visitor in Pittsburgh last evening.

NO MORE RUNNING SORES

W. F. Hennings Sells an Ointment Called San Cura that is a Positive Cure

If you know any people who suffer from old or running sores, tell them about San Cura ointment, and they will bless you as long as they live.

It matters not how old, persistent or poisonous the sore is, San Cura Ointment, the powerful antiseptic, will draw out every particle of poison and promptly heal the sore.

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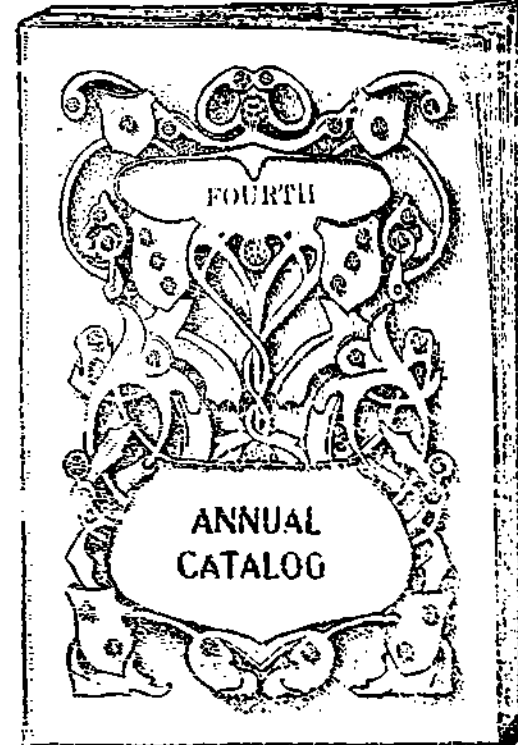
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